

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Wilfried JUD et al.
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For : STERILISABLE COMPOSITE FILM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

In the Claims:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, please cancel Claims 1 to 10 and insert new Claims 11 to 29, which read as set out below. The changes made are shown explicitly in the attached "Versions With Markings To Show Changes Made".

Please cancel Claims 1 to 10

Please add new Claims 11 to 29, which read as follows:

A. 11. A Sterilizable composite film containing a barrier layer that is impermeable to water vapor and gases comprising a metal foil and on both sides of the barrier layer at least one functional layer, the composite film having a layer structure containing one on top of the other:

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